



MIDDLE SCHOOL



READING RACES PROGRAM

The **5th grade** celebrated the end of the Reading Races program, where girls are challenged to read 5th grade level books outside of school. Girls were rewarded with a prize store, where the number of pages read was converted to currency. The top readers were invited to a special luncheon, with resident author, **Mrs. Shuli Mensh**, as guest speaker! Thank you, Mrs. Mensh!

8TH GRADE SCIENCE FAIR

Proud parents converged on the Middle School gym to witness the culmination of months of hard work and learning at our **8th grade** Science Fair. A few of the science fair experiments included testing vitamins, making dye from fruits, and calculating the weight of sticky notes. Various STEM models were also on display. A special thank you goes to **Mrs. Shari Rockkind** for directing the entire process and to **Mrs. Gitti Horowitz**, **Mrs. Sossie Ansbacher**, and **Mrs. Tanya Gerstman** for preparing the girls over many months.



PURIM SPIRIT IN THE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Leading up to Purim, the Lower Middle School enjoyed a palace-themed *chagiga* and a hilarious *Purim* play directed by **Mrs. Toby Sauer**. Every homeroom experienced *Mordechai's* joy as they themselves rode on a horse and buggy ride around campus. Thank you to **Mrs. Chani Flamm** for arranging such a memorable day. For the Upper Middle School *chagiga*, the auditorium was transformed into a Dr. Seuss display, with Dr. Seuss (Rabbi Frohlich) galloping in on his horse. The teachers also performed as the students hysterically applauded. The night ended with dancing and a *kumzitz* led by **Mrs. Ruchama Landa**. Thank you to **Mrs. Miriam Mellman** for arranging the myriad of details for this memorable evening.



PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

To wrap up a novel containing a photography contest, the **6th graders** participated in their very own contest reminiscent of the one that they read about in the book. A brainchild of **Mrs. Ellie Shulman**, the girls were challenged to photograph something that represents the concept of *mesorah* to them. The beautiful photographs and accompanying write ups are hanging proudly in the Lower Middle School 6th grade hallway.



April 15- MS/HS Closed

April 16-May 1- School Closed Pesach Recess